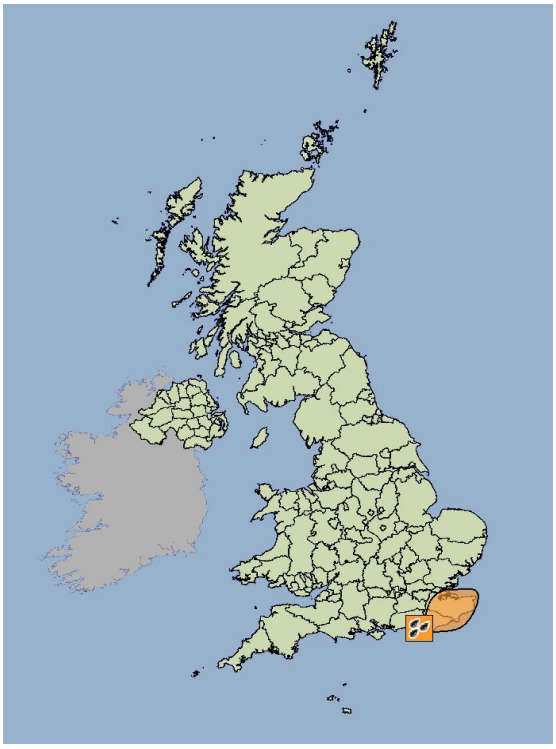
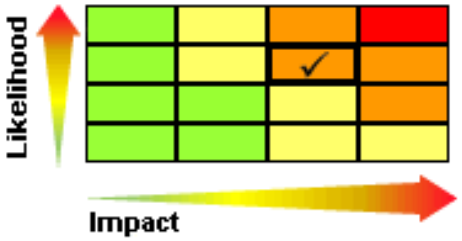
# National Severe Weather Warning Service






**Chief Forecasters Assessment**
Increasingly warm and humid air arriving from France later on Wednesday brings with it a risk of thunderstorms. These thunderstorms are likely to occur in a couple of main waves, from Wednesday late afternoon or early evening into early Thursday and a second wave breaking out later on Thursday.

Where thunderstorms occur torrential rain and frequent lightning are expected, as well as a chance of some hail. 30 mm or more of rain could fall in an hour and locally in excess of 50 mm is possible in two or three hours.

The Met Office have issued an **Amber Warning** of **Rain**

Valid from **18:00 on Wed, 22nd Jun 2016** until **06:00 on Thu, 23rd Jun 2016**

Although some places may miss them, potentially intense thundery downpours are likely from during Wednesday evening and overnight into Thursday.

Please be prepared for possible disruption to travel and localised flooding as well as frequent lightning.

**For more details please go to:**
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

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